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CROWN OF INDIA

REMEMBRANCER.

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AND

COMPENDIUM OF INTELLIGENCE

BY

THE SECRETARIES OF

"God Bless the Queen-Empress' Association."

PREFACE.

THIS book is a mere compilation, it contains nothing original but the intention of Her Highness the Princess of Tanjore to celebrate the Nativity of Her Most Gracious Majesty, the Queen-Empress of Hindustan or India. Her Highness considers it a duty on her and all those who occupy a similar, higher, or lower position to hers to show their loyalty to the British Crown by real acts. The Princess has therefore instituted an association under the name of "God Bless the Queen-Empress' Association." The objects of which may be known at a glance over the rules appended below.

A Durbar was held in honor of Her Most Gracious Majesty's 60th Birth-day in the Audience Hall of Sangit Mahal Palace of Her Highness, and members appointed whose names are given at the end of this pamphlet.

Whether we view the Queen-Empress as a powerful and merciful sovereign or as a blessed woman there is every thing to praise in Her Majesty, both in her public and private capacity. In the proclamation usually and appropriately called the Magna Charta of India, Her Majesty says regarding the Princes and the People of the Indian Empire that "We know and respect the feelings of attachment with which the Natives of India regard the lands inherited by them from their ancestors, and we desire to protect them in all rights connected therewith,

subject to the equitable demands of the State; and we will that, generally in framing and administering the law, due regard to be paid to the ancient rights, usages, and customs of India;" and at the conclusion of the proclamation Her Majesty says "that in their prosperity will be our strength, in their contentment our security, and in their gratitude our best reward."

Loyalty is the only form of gratitude that Her Majesty requires of us. It therefore behoves every native of India, be he Prince or Peasant to do something for the sovereign under whose rule he lives in comfort and security, by consecrating one day in the year, that is Her Majesty's Nativity, in prayer and praise to the God of all power with festival rejoicings in his home and temple, that the British Crown may prosper and grow stronger without a rival as the Sun in the heavens overshadows all stars; and the Princes of the land reign in peace and justice drawing their powers and inspiration from Her Majesty as the Moon does from the Sun. This publication was intended for private circulation only among the members who had the honor of attending the Durbar; but others whose opinion the authors value desired a more extended circulation; for a personage of royal blood has written to one of the Secretaries extolling the Durbar and hoping that the enlightened Chiefs of India will follow the example of Her Highness.

RULES OF THE "GOD BLESS THE QUEEN-EMPRESS' ASSOCIATION."

1. *Name* :—The Association shall be called "God Bless the Queen-Empress' Association."

2. *Object* :—It shall be the primary object of the Association to celebrate the Birth-day of Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen-Empress of the Indian Empire as a day of rejoicing in all houses dependent for their support on Her Highness the Princess of Tanjore.

3. *Duty* :—It shall be the duty of all heads of families drawing their support from Her Highness the Princess to explain the utility of observancy this day to their relations and friends.

4. *Songs and Hymns* :—Songs and Hymns shall be composed, printed, and distributed to indigenous Schools at the town of Tanjore to be read and recited on holidays and festival days.

5. *Durbar* :—That a Durbar shall be held at the Tanjore Palace on the Birth-day of Her Majesty the Queen-Empress to celebrate the event as a festival with honors suitable to the occasion.

The Secretaries of

"G. B. Q. E. Association."

TANJORE,
Monday, 25*th August* 1879.

REQUEST.

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THE IMPERIAL ORDER OF THE CROWN OF INDIA.

SOVEREIGN—THE QUEEN-EMPRESS.

COMPANIONS.

H. R. H. the Princess of Wales.

H. R. H. the Princess Royal of England, Princess Imperial of Germany.

H. R. H. the Princess Helena.

H. R. H. the Princess Louise, Marchioness of Lorne.

H. R. H. the Princess Beatrice.

H. I. H. the Duchess of Edinburgh.

H. R. H. the Duchess of Cambridge.

H. R. H. the Princess Augusta of Cambridge, Grand Duchess of Macklenburg Strelitz.

H. R. H. the Princess Mary of Cambridge the Duchess of Teck.

H. H. the Maharani of the Maharaja Dhulipsing.

Lady Lawrance, wife of Lord Lawrance, former Viceroy of India.

Countess of Elgin, widow of Lord Elgin, former Viceroy of India.

Countess of Mayo, widow of Lord Mayo, former Viceroy of India.

Lady Lytton, wife of Lord Lytton, the present Viceroy of India.

Lady Susan Bourke, daughter of the Marquis of Dalhousie, former Viceroy of India.

Lady Emma Baring, daughter of the Earl of North-brook, former Viceroy of India.

Lady Napier and Ettrick, wife of Lord Napier, former Governor of Madras.

Lady Hobart, widow of Lord Hobart, Governor of Madras.

Lady Mary Grenville, daughter of the Duke of Buchingham, Governor of Madras.

Lady Frere, wife of Sir Bartle Frere, former Governor of Bombay.

Lady Temple, wife of Sir Richard Temple, Governor of Bombay.

Lady Denison, widow of Sir. W. Denison, former Governor of Madras.

Lady Strachey, wife of Sir John Strachey, Finance Minister.

Duchess of Argyll, wife of the Duke of Argyll, former Secretary of State for India.

Marchioness of Salisbury, wife of the Marquis of Salisbury, present Secretary of State for India.

Marchioness of Ripon, wife of the Marquis of Ripon, former Secretary of State for India.

Viscountess Halifax, wife of Lord Halifax (Sir C. Wood), former Secretary of State for India.

Lady Northcote, wife of Sir Stafford Northcote, former Secretary of State for India.

H. H. Dilawar Unissa Begum, Grand-mother of the Nizam of Hyderabad.

H. H. Devaji Asumani Sitavilas, the Dowager Rani of Mysore.

H. H. Maharani Jumna Bai, Mother of the Gaekwar of Baroda.

H. H. the Begum of Bhopal.

H. H. Nawab Kudsia Begum, Grand-mother of the Begum of Bhopal.

H. H. the Princess of Tanjore.

H. H. Maharani Surnomoyee of Cossimbazar.

HINDU, MAHOMEDAN, JEWISH AND CHRISTIAN ERAS.

The year 4981 of the Hindu Era of Kaliyugam commenced on 23rd March 1879.

The year 1802 of the Hindu Era of Salivahana commenced on 23rd March 1879.

The year 1297 of the Mahomedan Era of Higiri commences on 15th December 1879.

The year 1055 of the Hindu Era of Kollam Andu in the Malabar Provinces commences on 15th August 1879.

The year 5640 of the Jewish Era commences on 18th September 1879.

The year 1879 of the Christian Era is the current year.

ENGLISH CALENDAR 1879.

JANUARY.

Sunday	...		12	19	26
Monday	...	6	13	20	27
Tuesday	...	7	14	21	28
Wednesday	1	8	15	22	29
Thursday	2	9	16	23	30
Friday	3	10	17	24	31
Saturday	4	11	18	25	...

FEBRUARY.

Sunday	...	2	9	16	23
Monday	...	3	10	17	24
Tuesday	...	4	11	18	25
Wednesday	...	5	12	19	26
Thursday	...	6	13	20	27
Friday	...	7	14	21	28
Saturday	1	8	15	22	...

MARCH.

Sun.	...	2	9	16	23	30
Mon.	...	3	10	17	24	31
Tues.	...	4	11	18	25	...
Wed.	...	5	12	19	26	...
Thur.	...	6	13	20	27	...
Fri.	...	7	14	21	28	...
Sat.	1	8	15	22	29	...

APRIL.

Sunday	...	6	13	20	27
Monday	...	7	14	21	28
Tuesday	1	8	15	22	29
Wednesday	2	9	16	23	30
Thursday	3	10	17	24	...
Friday	4	11	18	25	...
Saturday	5	12	19	26	...

MAY.

Sunday	...	4	11	18	25
Monday	...	5	12	19	26
Tuesday	...	6	13	20	27
Wednesday	...	7	14	21	28
Thursday	1	8	15	22	29
Friday	2	9	16	23	30
Saturday	3	10	17	24	31

JUNE.

Sunday	1	8	15	22	29
Monday	2	9	16	23	30
Tuesday	3	10	17	24	...
Wednesday	4	11	18	25	...
Thursday	5	12	19	26	...
Friday	6	13	20	27	...
Saturday	7	14	21	28	...

JULY.

Sunday	...	6	13	20	27
Monday	...	7	14	21	28
Tuesday	1	8	15	22	29
Wednesday	2	9	16	23	30
Thursday	3	10	17	24	31
Friday	4	11	18	25	...
Saturday	5	12	19	26	...

AUGUST.

Sun.	...	3	10	17	24	31
Mon.	...	4	11	18	25	...
Tues.	...	5	12	19	26	...
Wed.	...	6	13	20	27	...
Thur.	...	7	14	21	28	...
Fri.	1	8	15	22	29	...
Sat.	2	9	16	23	30	...

SEPTEMBER.

Sunday	...	7	14	21	28
Monday	1	8	15	22	29
Tuesday	2	9	16	23	30
Wednesday	3	10	17	24	...
Thursday	4	11	18	25	...
Friday	5	12	19	26	...
Saturday	6	13	20	27	...

OCTOBER.

Sunday	...	5	12	19	26
Monday	...	6	13	20	27
Tuesday	...	7	14	21	28
Wednesday	1	8	15	22	29
Thursday	2	9	16	23	30
Friday	3	10	17	24	31
Saturday	4	11	18	25	...

NOVEMBER.

Sun.	...	2	9	16	23	30
Mon.	...	3	10	17	24	...
Tues.	...	4	11	18	25	...
Wed.	...	5	12	19	26	...
Thur.	...	6	13	20	27	...
Fri.	...	7	14	21	28	...
Sat.	1	8	15	22	29	...

DECEMBER.

Sunday	...	7	14	21	28
Monday	1	8	15	22	29
Tuesday	2	9	16	23	30
Wednesday	3	10	17	24	31
Thursday	4	11	18	25	...
Friday	5	12	19	26	...
Saturday	6	13	20	27	...

TAMIL CALENDAR FOR THE YEAR PRAMADI.

CHITTIRAI—APRIL AND MAY.

Sun.	...	2	9	16	23	30
Mon.	...	3	10	17	24	31
Tues.	...	4	11	18	25	...
Wed.	...	5	12	19	26	...
Thur.	...	6	13	20	27	...
Fri.	...	7	14	21	28	...
Sat.	1	8	15	22	29	...

VAIYASI—MAY AND JUNE.

Sunday	...	6	13	20	27
Monday	...	7	14	21	28
Tuesday	1	8	15	22	29
Wednesday	2	9	16	23	30
Thursday	3	10	17	24	31
Friday	4	11	18	25	...
Saturday	5	12	19	26	...

ANI—JUNE AND JULY.

Sun.	...	3	10	17	24	31
Mon.	...	4	11	18	25	32
Tues.	...	5	12	19	26	...
Wed.	...	6	13	20	27	...
Thur.	...	7	14	21	28	...
Fri.	1	8	15	22	29	...
Sat.	2	9	16	23	30	...

ADI—JULY AND AUGUST.

Sunday	...	6	13	20	27
Monday	...	7	14	21	28
Tuesday	1	8	15	22	29
Wednesday	2	9	16	23	30
Thursday	3	10	17	24	31
Friday	4	11	18	25	...
Saturday	5	12	19	26	...

AVANI—AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER.

Sun.	...	3	10	17	24	31
Mon.	...	4	11	18	25	32
Tues.	...	5	12	19	26	...
Wed.	...	6	13	20	27	...
Thur.	...	7	14	21	28	...
Fri.	1	8	15	22	29	...
Sat.	2	9	16	23	30	...

PURATASI—SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER.

Sunday	...	6	13	20	27
Monday	...	7	14	21	28
Tuesday	1	8	15	22	29
Wednesday	2	9	16	23	30
Thursday	3	10	17	24	...
Friday	4	11	18	25	...
Saturday	5	12	19	26	...

ALPISI—OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER.

Sunday	...	4	11	18	25
Monday	...	5	12	19	26
Tuesday	...	6	13	20	27
Wednesday	...	7	14	21	28
Thursday	1	8	15	22	29
Friday	2	9	16	23	30
Saturday	3	10	17	24	...

KARTHIGAI—NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER.

Sunday	...	2	9	16	23
Monday	...	3	10	17	24
Tuesday	...	4	11	18	25
Wednesday	...	5	12	19	26
Thursday	...	6	13	20	27
Friday	...	7	14	21	28
Saturday	1	8	15	22	29

GALI—DECEMBER AND JANUARY 1880.

Sunday	1	8	15	22	29
Monday	2	9	16	23	30
Tuesday	3	10	17	24	...
Wednesday	4	11	18	25	...
Thursday	5	12	19	26	...
Friday	6	13	20	27	...
Saturday	7	14	21	28	...

TAI—JANUARY AND FEBRUARY.

day	...	6	13	20	27
Monday	...	7	14	21	28
Tuesday	1	8	15	22	29
Wednesday	2	9	16	23	...
Thursday	3	10	17	24	...
Friday	4	11	18	25	...
Saturday	5	12	19	26	...

MASI—FEBRUARY AND MARCH.

Sunday	...	5	12	19	26
Monday	...	6	13	20	27
Tuesday	...	7	14	21	28
Wednesday	1	8	15	22	29
Thursday	2	9	16	23	30
Friday	3	10	17	24	...
Saturday	4	11	18	25	...

PANGUNI—MARCH AND APRIL.

Sunday	...	3	10	17	
Monday	...	4	11	18	25
Tuesday	...	5	12	19	26
Wednesday	...	6	13	20	27
Thursday	...	7	14	21	28
Friday	1	8	15	22	29
Saturday	2	9	16	23	30

MAHRATTA AND TELUGU

Calendar for the year Pramadi.

CHAITRA.

Waxing Moon.				Waning Moon.			
Sun.	1	7	14-15○	Sun.	7	14	...
Mon.	2	8	...	Mon.	1	8	15●
Tues.	3	9	...	Tues.	2	9	...
Wed.	3	10	...	Wed.	3	10	...
Thurs.	4	11	...	Thurs.	4	11	...
Fri.	5	12	...	Fri.	5	12	...
	6	13	...	Sat.	6	13	...

VAISAK.

Waxing Moon.				Waning Moon.			
Sun.	6	13	...	Sun.	6	13	...
Mon.	7	14	...	Mon.	7	13	...
Tues.	1	8	15○	Tues.	8	14	...
Wed.	2	9	...	Wed.	1	9	15●
Thurs.	3	10	...	Thurs.	2-3	10	...
Fri.	4	11	...	Fri.	4	11	...
Sat.	5	12	...	Sat.	5	12	...

JAIST.

Waxing Moon.				Waning Moon.			
Sun.	4	12	...	Sun.	4	11	...
Mon.	5	13	...	Mon.	5	12	...
Tues.	6	14	...	Tues.	6	13	...
Wed.	7	15 ○	...	Wed.	7	14	...
Thurs.	1	8	...	Thurs.	1	8	15 ●
Fri.	2	9	...	Fri.	2	9	...
Sat.	3	10-11	...	Sat.	3	10	...

ASHADHA.

Waxing Moon.				Waning Moon.			
Sun.	3	10	...	Sun.	3	10	...
Mon.	4	11	...	Mon.	4	10	...
Tues.	5	12	...	Tues.	5	11	...
Wed.	6	13-14	...	Wed.	6	12	...
Thurs.	7	15 ○	...	Thurs.	7	13	...
Fri.	1	8	...	Fri.	1	8	14
Sat.	2	9	...	Sat.	2	9	15 ●

SRAVAN.

Waxing Moon.				Waning Moon.			
Sun.	1	9	...	Sun.	1	8	15●
Mon.	2	10	...	Mon.	2	9	...
Tues.	3	11	...	Tues.	3	10	...
Wed.	4	12	...	Wed.	4	11	...
Thurs.	5	13	...	Thurs.	5	12	...
Fri.	6-7	14	...	Fri.	6	13	...
Sat.	8	15○	...	Sat.	7	14	...

BHADRAPAD.

Waxing Moon.				Waning Moon.			
Sun.	7	15○	...	Sun.	6	13	...
Mon.	1	8	...	Mon.	1	7	14
Tues.	2	9-10	...	Tues.	2	8	15●
Wed.	3	11	...	Wed.	3	9	...
Thurs.	4	12	...	Thurs.	4	10	...
Fri.	5	13	...	Fri.	5	11	...
Sat.	6	14	...	Sat.	6	12	...

INTERCALARY MONTH OF ASWIJ.

Waxing Moon.				Waning Moon.			
Sun.	6	13	...	Sun.	5	12	...
Mon.	7	14	...	Mon.	6	13	...
Tues.	8	15○	...	Tues.	7	14	...
Wed.	1	9	...	Wed.	1	8	15●
Thurs.	2-3	10	...	Thurs.	2	9	...
Fri.	4	11	...	Fri.	3	10	...
Sat.	5	12	...	Sat.	4	11	...

ASWIJ.

Waxing Moon.				Waning Moon.			
Sun.	4	12	...	Sun.	3	10	...
Mon.	5	13	...	Mon.	4	11	...
Tues.	6-7	14	...	Tues.	5	12	...
Wed.	8	15○	...	Wed.	6	13	...
Thurs.	1	9	...	Thurs.	1	7	14
Fri.	2	10	...	Fri.	1	8	15●
Sat.	3	11	...	Sat.	2	9	...

KARTHIK.

Waxing Moon.				Waning Moon.			
Sun.	3	10	...	Sun.	2	8-9	...
Mon.	4	11	...	Mon.	3	10	...
Tues.	5	12	..	Tues.	3	11	...
Wed.	6	13	...	Wed.	4	12	...
Thurs.	7	14	...	Thurs.	5	13	...
Fri.	8	15○	...	Fri.	6	14	...
Sat.	2	9	...	Sat.	1	7	15●

MARGASIRSH.

Waxing Moon.				Waning Moon.			
Sun.	1	8	15○	Sun.	7	15●	...
Mon.	2	9	...	Mon.	1	8	...
Tues.	3	10	...	Tues.	2	9	...
Wed.	4	11	...	Wed.	3	10	...
Thurs.	5	12	...	Thurs.	4	11	...
Fri.	6	13	...	Fri.	5	12	...
Sat.	7	14	...	Sat.	6	13-14	...

POVSHA.

Waxing Moon.				Waning Moon.			
Sun.	7	13	...	Sun.	5	13	...
Mon.	1	8	14	Mon.	6	14	...
Tues.	2	9	15○	Tues.	7	15●	...
Wed.	3	10	...	Wed.	1	8-9	...
Thurs.	4	11	...	Thurs.	2	10	...
Fri.	5	11	...	Fri.	3	11	...
Sat.	6	12	...	Sat.	4	12	...

MAGHA.

Waxing Moon.				Waning Moon.			
Sun.	5	12	...	Sun.	4	11	...
Mon.	6	13	...	Mon.	5	12	...
Tues.	7	14	...	Tues.	6	13-14	...
Wed.	1	8	14	Wed.	7	15●	...
Thurs.	2	9	15-○	Thurs.	8	...	...
Fri.	3	10	...	Fri.	2	9	...
Sat.	4	11	...	Sat	3	10	...

PHALGUNA.

Waxing Moon.				Waning. Moon.			
Sun.	3	10	...	Sun.	2	10	...
Mon.	4	11	...	Mon.	3	11	...
Tues.	5	12	...	Tues.	4	12	...
Wed.	6	13	...	Wed.	5	13	...
Thurs.	1	7	14	Thurs.	6-7	14	...
Fri.	2	8	15 ☉	Fri.	8	15 ●	...
Sat.	3	9	...	Sat.	1	9	...

Mohamedan Calendar for the Hijiri year 1296.

MOGHURRUM.

Sunday	...	4	11	18	25
Monday	...	5	12	19	26
Tuesday	...	6	13	20	27
Wednesday	...	7	14	21	28
Thursday	1	8	15	22	29
Friday	2	9	16	23	...
Saturday	3	10	17	24	...

SUFFER.

Sunday	...	3	10	17	24
Monday	...	4	11	18	25
Tuesday	...	5	12	19	26
Wednesday	...	6	13	20	27
Thursday	...	7	14	21	28
Friday	1	8	15	22	29
Saturday	2	9	16	23	30

RUBBE-UL-AVAL.

Sunday	1	8	15	22	29
Monday	2	9	16	23	30
Tuesday	3	10	17	24	...
Wednesday	4	11	18	25	...
Thursday	5	12	19	26	...
Friday	6	13	20	27	...
Saturday	7	14	21	28	...

RUBE-USSANI.

Sunday	...	6	13	20	27
Monday	...	7	14	21	28
Tuesday	1	8	15	22	29
Wednesday	2	9	16	23	30
Thursday	3	10	17	24	...
Friday	4	11	18	25	...
Saturday	5	12	19	26	...

JAMADIULAVAL.

Sunday	...	4	11	18	25
Monday	...	5	12	19	26
Tuesday	...	6	13	20	27
Wednesday	...	7	14	21	28
Thursday	1	8	15	22	29
Friday	2	9	16	23	...
Saturday	3	10	17	24	...

JAMADIUSSANI.

Sunday	...	3	10	17	24
Monday	...	4	11	18	25
Tuesday	...	5	12	19	26
Wednesday	...	6	13	20	27
Thursday	...	7	14	21	28
Friday	1	8	15	22	29
Saturday	2	9	16	23	30

RUJJUB.

Sunday	1	8	15	22	29
Monday	2	9	16	23	...
Tuesday	3	10	17	24	...
Wednesday	4	11	18	25	...
Thursday	5	12	19	26	...
Friday	6	13	20	27	...
Saturday	7	14	21	28	...

SHABHAN.

Sunday	...	7	14	21	28
Monday	1	8	15	22	29
Tuesday	2	9	16	23	30
Wednesday	3	10	17	24	...
Thursday	4	11	18	25	...
Friday	5	12	19	26	...
Saturday	6	13	20	27	...

RAMZAN.

Sunday	...	5	12	19	26
Monday	...	6	13	20	27
Tuesday	...	7	14	21	28
Wednesday	1	8	15	22	29
Thursday	2	9	16	23	...
Friday	3	10	17	24	...
Saturday	4	11	18	25	...

SHAVVAL.

Sunday	...	4	11	18	25
Monday	...	5	12	19	26
Tuesday	...	6	13	20	27
Wednesday	...	7	14	21	28
Thursday	1	8	15	22	29
Friday	2	9	16	23	30
Saturday	3	10	17	24	...

ZILKATH.

Sunday	...	2	9	16	23
Monday	...	3	10	17	24
Tuesday	...	4	11	18	25
Wednesday	...	5	12	19	26
Thursday	...	6	13	20	27
Friday	...	7	14	21	28
Saturday	1	8	15	22	29

ZILHAJ.

Sunday	1	8	15	22	29
Monday	2	9	16	23	...
Tuesday	3	10	17	24	...
Wednesday	4	11	18	25	...
Thursday	5	12	19	26	...
Friday	6	13	20	27	...
Saturday	7	14	21	28	...

ECLIPSES DURING THE YEAR 1879.

Sun Eclipse on the	... 19th July		
	h	*m*	
Commences	2	36	after
Ends	4	32	after
Moon Eclipse on the ...	... 28th December		
	h	*m*	
Commences	8	58	after
Ends	10	36	after

CHRISTIAN FESTIVALS.

Epiphany	6th January
Septuagesima Sunday	9th February
Quinquagesima, Shrove Sunday...	23rd ,,
Ash Wednesday	26th ,,
St. David	1st March
Quadragesima, 1st Sunday in Lent...	2nd ,,
St. Patrick	17th ,,
Annunciation—Lady-day	25th ,,
Palm Sunday	6th April
Good Friday	11th ,,
Easter Sunday...	13th ,,
Low Sunday	20th ,,
St. George	23rd ,,
Rogation Sunday	18th May

Ascension day—Holy Thursday	...	22nd May
Penticoast Whit Sunday	...	1st June
Trinity Sunday ...	...	8th ,,
Corpus Christi ...	...	12th ,,
St. John the Baptist—Midsummer day	...	24th ,,
Saint Michael—Michaelmasday	...	29th September
All Saint's day ...	...	1st November
All Soul's day ...	...	2nd ,,
Saint Andrew ...	...	30th ,,
Advent Sunday ...	...	30th ,,
Saint Thomas ...	...	21st December
Christmas day ...	...	25th ,,

MAHOMEDAN FESTIVALS DURING 1879.

Pirpailvan urus ...	...	2nd February
Tera Teji	...	5th ,,
Akhari Chahar Shumba ...	...	19th ,,
Barawa fat	...	6th March
Yerdahum or Gyarvin ...	...	4th April
Buddu Shaid urus ...	...	3rd May
Khadar Vali urus ...	...	1st June
Ide Rajab	...	18th July
Shabe barat	...	3rd August
Ramjan commences ...	...	20th ,,

Ide Ramzan or Khudba...	... 18th September
Bakrid	... 25th November
Moharram	... 15th December

HINDU FESTIVALS.

Vikunta Yekadasi. ...	... 4th	Jan. 1879.
Aruthra Tharsanam ...	... 8th	„ „
Bhogi Pandigai ...	... 12th	„ „
Pongal	... 13th	„ „
Tai Amavassai ...	... 22nd	„ „
Tai Pusam	... 5th	February
Maha Siva Rathri ...	... 19th	„
Holi Pandigai	... 8th	March
Molugadi Servai ...	... 7th	„
Telugu New Year's day ...	... 28th	„
Sri Rama Navami ...	... 1st	April
Milapur Rothotsavam ...	... 3rd	„
Mylapur Aravathimuvar	... 4th	„
Panguni Vuthiram ...	... 5th	„
Tamil New Year's day ...	... 12th	„
Atchaya Thrithya ...	... 24th	„
Narasimma Jayanti ...	... 5th	May
Chitra Pournami ...	... 6th	„
Graruda Vutsavam at Triplicane ...	6th	„
Batha Vutsavam at Triplicane	... 10th	„

Garuda Vutsavam at Conjiveram	...	2nd June
Vatasavithri Vratham	...	4th ,,
Ani Amavassa ...	...	19th ,,
Viyasa Pournamai ...	...	3rd July
Datchanayana Parvakalam	...	15th ,,
Adi Amavassai and Sun Eclipse	...	19th ,,
Vara Lakshmi Vritham	...	1st August
Avani Avittam ...	...	2nd ,,
Gokula Astami ...	...	9th ,,
Adi Pandigai ..	...	14th ,,
Harithalaka Vratham ...	...	20th ,,
Samavethi Vupakarmam	...	21st ,,
Pilliar Chathurthi ...	...	21st ,,
Rishi Panchami Vrathem	...	22nd ,,
Avani Mulam ...	...	26th ,,
Ananta Chathurdasi ...	...	30th ,,
Sri Jayanthi	...	9th September
Mahalaya Amavassai ...	...	15th ,,
Navarathri Pandigai ...	...	16th October
Ayutha Pujah ...	...	23rd ,,
Vijya Thasami or Dasara	...	24th ,,
Dipavali Pandigai ...	...	13th November
Katharu Gouri Vratham	...	13th ,,
Skantha Shasti ...	...	19th ,,
Krithica Dipam ...	...	28th ,,
Vishnu Dipam ...	...	28th ,,

Vikuntá Yekathasi	...	... 24th December
Moon Eclipse	...	... 28th ,,
Aruthra Tharsanam	...	... 29th ,,

ANNIVERSARIES, &c.

Queen's Proclamation assuming title of "The Empress of India" ...	... Wed.	Jan.	1
Marriage of Queen Victoria	... Mon.	Feb.	10
Birth of Princess Louise	... Tues.	Mar.	18
Birth of Prince Leopold ...	... Mon.	April	7
Birth of Princess Beatrice	... Mon.	,,	14
Birth of Prince Arthur ...	... Thurs.	May	1
Birth of Empress Victoria	... Satur.	,,	24
Birth of Princess Helena	... Sun.	,,	25
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Coronation of Queen Victoria	... Satur.	,,	28
Birth of Prince Alfred	... Wed.	Aug.	6
Queen's Proclamation assuming the Government of India from the East India Company	... Mon.	Nov.	3
Birth of Prince of Wales ...	... Sun.	,,	9
Birth of Princess Royal ...	... Fri	,,	21

HER MOST GRACIOUS MAJESTY THE QUEEN EMPRESS, AND THE ROYAL FAMILY.

Victoria, by the grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, and Ireland, and of the Colonies and Dependencies thereof in Europe, Asia, Africa, America and Australasia, Queen, Defender of the Faith. Her Majesty was born at Kensington Palace, the 24th May, 1819 ; ascended the throne at the decease of her Uncle, King William IV., 20th June 1837; and was crowned in the abbey of Westminister 28th June, 1838. The Queen married at St. James' Palace, 10th February, 1840, His Royal Highness-Francis-Albert-Augustus-Charles-Emanual, Prince Consort (such title and dignity being conferred upon him by Letters Patent, under the Great Seal, 25th June, 1857) Duke of Saxony, and Prince of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, K. G., K. T., K. P., G. C. M. G., Knight of the Golden Fleece of Spain. Knight of the Seraphim of Sweeden, Great Master of the Order of the Bath, L. L. D., D. C. L. Ph. D., Field-Marshal in the Army, Colonel of the Grenadiar Guards, Colonel-in-chief of the Rifle Brigade, Captain General and Colonel of the Hon. Artillery Company, Lord Warden of the Stannaries, and chief Steward of the Duchy of Cornwall, Governor and Constable of Windsor Castle, Ranger of Windsor Great Park, High Steward of New Windsor, and High Steward of Plymouth, Chancellor of the University of Cambridge, and Master of the Trinity House, 2nd son of Ernest-Frederick-Anthony-Charles-Louis, late Reigning Duke of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, and by His Royal Highness (who, born at Ehrenberg, 26th August 1819, died at Windsor Castle, 14th December 1861) has issue.

THE PRINCE OF WALES.

His Royal Highness the Most High, Most Puissant, and Most Illustrious Prince, Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, Duke of Saxony, Duke of Cornwall and Rothsay, Earl of Chester, Carrick, and Dublin, Baron of Renfrew, and Lord of the Isles, Great Steward of Scotland, K. G., K. P., K. T., G. C. B., Knight Grand Commander of the Star of India, Knight of the Elephant of Denmark, Knight of the Golden Fleece, a General in the Army, Colonel-in-chief of the Rifle Brigade, Colonel of the 10th Hussars, Captain-General and Colonel of the Hon. Artillery Company, Barrister-at-law, and a Bencher of the Middle Temple, and President of the Society of Arts, D. C. L. Oxford. L. L. D. Cambridge L. L. D., Trinity College, Dublin, &c., &c. ; born at Buckingham Palace, 9th November 1841.

His Royal Highness was created Prince of Wales and Earl of Chester, by patent, 8th December 1841, and Earl of Dublin 17th January 1850 to hold such Earldom " to him and his heirs, Kings of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland for ever." He is Duke of Cornwall, pursuant to the patent of Edward III., 1337, and he is High Steward of Scotland, Duke of Rothsay, Earl of Carrick, Baron of Renfrew, and Lord of the Isles, pursuant to an Act of the Scotch Parliament in 1469. His Royal Highness married on the 10th March, 1863, at Windsor, Her Royal Highness Alexandra-Caroline-Maria-Charlotte Louisa-Julia, Princess of Denmark (born 1st December 1844), eldest daughter of Christian IX., King of Denmark, and has issue.

A. Prince Albert-Victor--Christian-Edward of Wales, born at Frogmore, 8th January 1864.

B. Prince George-Frederick-Ernest-Albert of Wales, born at Marlborough House, 3rd June 1865.

C. Prince Alexander-John-Charles-Albert, born 6th died 8th April, 1871.

D. Princess Louise-Victoria--Alexandra-Dagmar of Wales, born at Marlborough House, 20th February, 1867.

E. Princess Victoria-Alexandrina-Olga-Mary of Wales, born at Marlborough House, 6th July, 1868.

F. Princess Maud-Charlotte-Mary-Victoria of Wales, born at Marlborough House, 26th November, 1869.

2. Prince Alfred Ernest Albert, Duke of Edinburgh, born August 6th 1844. Married January 23rd 1874, Imperial Princess Mary of Russia, has issue.

3. Prince Arthur William Patrick Albert, Duke of Connought, born May 1st 1850, married 13th March 1879 the Princess Louise of Prussia.

4. Prince Leopold George Duncan Albert, born April 7th, 1853.

5. Victoria Adelaide Maria Louisa, Princess Royal, born 21st November, 1840, married 25th January 1858 Prince Frederick William, Imperial Prince of Germany and Crown Prince of Prussia, has issue.

6. Princess Alice Maud Mary, born 25th April 1843, married Prince Louis of Heese-Dramstadt July 1st, 1862, died 14th December 1878, leaving issue.

7. Princess Helena Augusta Victoria, born 25th May 1846, married Prince Christian of Augustenburg July 5th, 1866, has issue.
8. Princess Louisa Caroline Alberta, born 18th March 1848, married March 21st, 1871 to the Marquis of Lorne.
9. Princess Beatrice Mary Victoria Feodora, born April 14th, 1857.

STATES SENDING AMBASSADORS TO THE COURT OF THE QUEEN-EMPRESS AND RECEIVING AMBASSADORS THEREFROM.

1. Argentine Republic.
2. Austria.
3. Belgium.
4. Brazil.
5. Central America.
6. Chili.
7. China.
8. Columbia.
9. Denmark.
10. Equador.
11. France.
12. Germany.
13. Greece.
14. Italy.
15. Japan.
16. Morocco.
17. Netherlands.
18. Persia.
19. Peru.
20. Portugal.
21. Russia.
22. Spain.
23. Sweden.
24. Switzerland.
25. Turkey.
26. United States.

CHIEF COLONIES OF GREAT BRITAIN WITH THE NAMES OF THEIR GOVERNORS.

HINDUSTAN

OR

THE EAST INDIES.

1. INDIA.

   Viceroy and Governor General.—Right Hon. Lord Lytton, G. C. B. G. M. S. I.

2. MADRAS.

   Governor. — Duke of Buckingham and Chandos, G. C. S. I.

3. BOMBAY.

   Governor —Sir Richard. Temple,Bt .G. C. S. I.

AUSTRALIAN COLONIES.

4. NEW SOUTH WALES.

   Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Sir H. G. R. Robinson, G. C. M. G.

5. VICTORIA.

   Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Sir G. F. Bowen, G. C. M. G. C. B. R. E.

6. SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

   Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Major Genl. Sir W. M. F, D. Jervois, K. C, M. G. C. B. R. E.

7. Western Australia.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Mj. Sir H. St. G. Ord, K. C. M., G. C. B.

8. Queensland.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Sir A. Edwd. Kennedy, K. C. M., G. C. B.

9. Tasmania.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Fredrick Aloysius Weld, Esquire, C. M. G.

10. New Zaland.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Marquis of Normandy, K. C, M. G.

WEST INDIES, &c.

11. Barbadeoes and Windward Islands,

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Major G. C. Strahan, R. A., C M. G.

12. Grenada.

Lieutenant-Governor.—Cyril Clerke Graham, Esq. C. M. G.

13. St. Vincent.

Lieutenant-Governor.—George Dundas, Esq.

14. Tobago.

Lieutenant-Governor.—Colonel R. W. Harley, C. B. C. M. G.

15. Autigua and Leeward Islands.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—George Berkeley, Esq. C. M. G.

16. Trinidad.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Sir Henry Turner Irving, K. C. M. G.

17. Jamaica.

Capt. Genl. and Governor-in-Chief.—Sir Anthony Musgrave, K. C. M. G.

18. Bahamas.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—William Robinson, Esq., G. C. M. G.

19. British Honduras.

Lieutenant Governor.—F. P. Barlee, Esq., C. M. G.

20. British Guiana.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Cornelius H. Kortright, Esq. C. M. G.

DOMINION OF CANADA.

21. Canada.

Governor-General.—The Rt. H. The Marquis of Lorne, K. G.

22. Newfoundland.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Comdr. Sir John Hawley Glover, R. N. G. C. M. G.

23. BERMUDAS.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Brig. Genl. Sir R. M. Laffan, K. C. M. G. R. E.

MALTA.

24. MALTA.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Genl. Sir. A. Boston, K. C. B.

GIBRALTAR.

25. GIBRALTAR.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Genl. R. C. Lord Napier of Magdala, G. C. B. G. C. S. Royal Engrs.

CYPRUS.

26. CYPRUS.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Sir Garnet J. Wolsely, K. C. M. G.

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.

27. CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Rt. Hon. Sir H. B. E. Frere, Bt. G.C.B.. G.C.S.I.

28. NATAL.

Lieutenant-Governor.—Sir Henry E. Bulwer, K. C. M. G.

29. ST. HELENA.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Hudson Ralph Janisch, Esq.

GRIQUA LAND WEST.

30. Griqua Land West.

Lieutenant-Governor.—Major W. C. Lanyon, C. M. G.

WEST AFRICA SETTLEMENT.

31. West Africa.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Surg. Major S. Rowe, C. M. G.

GOLD COAST COLONY.

32. Gold Coast Colony.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Sir S. Freeling, C. M. C.

MAURITIUS.

33. Mauritius.

Governor and Commander-in.Chief.—Major Genl. Sir Arthur P. Phayre, G. C. M. G. K. C. S. I. C. B.

CEYLON.

34. Ceylon.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.—Sir J. R. Longden, K. C. M. G.

CHINA AND HONG-KONG.

35 China and Hong-Kong.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief,—John Pope Hennessy, Esq. C. M. G.

STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.

36. STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief Sir W. C. F. Robinson, K. C. M. G.

37. PRINCE OF WALES ISLAND.

Lieutenant-Governor Bt. Colonel A. E. H. Anson, R. A. C. M. G.

38. MALACCA.

Lieutenant Governor and Commander E. W. Shaw, R. N.

LABUAN.

39. LABUAN.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief Herbert Tayler Usher, Esq., C. M. G.

FALKLAND ISLAND.

40. FALKLAND ISLANDS.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief T. Fitz-gerald Callaghan, Esq., C. M. G.

FIJI ISLANDS.

41. FIJI ISLANDS.

Governor and Commander-in-Chief Hon. Sir A. H. Gordon, K. C., M. G.

INDIAN FEUDATORIES
OF
THE QUEEN EMPRESS.

1. Ajeygurh Rajah.
2. Akulkote Rajah.
3. Alipoora Jagheerdar.
4. Alirajpoor Rajah.
5. Bansda Chief.
6. Balasinor Beebee.
7. Banswarra Chief.
8. Bhopal Begum,
9. Bootan Rajah.
10. Beejah Chief.
11. Behree Jagheerdar
12. Behut Jagheerdar.
13. Belaspore Chief.
14. Benares Rajah.
15. Beronda Rajah.
16. Berwani Rana.
17. Bhaghul Chief.
18. Bhownugger Chief.
19. Bhughat Chief.
20. Bhujjee Chief.
21. Bhurtpore Maharajah.
22. Bicaneer Maharajah.
23. Bijawur Rajah.

24. Bijua Chief.
25. Boondee Rajah.
26. Bulsum Chief.
27. Bunganpalli Jagheerdar.
28. Bussahir Chief.
29. Bustar Rajah.
30.—35. Callinger Chobeys six.
36. Cashmere Maharajah.
37. Chumba Chief.
38. Chutterpore Rajah.
39. Cochin Rajah.
40. Cooch Behar Rajah.
41.—56. Cuttack Tributary Mehals, sixteen Chiefs.
57. Dewas Chief.
58. Dhar Chief.
59. Dhamee Chief.
60. Dholepore Rana.
61. Dhoorwye Chief.
62. Durkotee Chief.
63. Dhurmpore Chief.
64. Doongurpore Chief.
65. Drangdra Rajah.
66. Dufflay Jagheerdar.
67. Duttia Rajah.
68. Edur Chief.

69. Furreedkote Rajah.
70. Ghurwal Rajah.
71. Gerowlee Jagheerdar.
72. Gourihar Jagheerdar.
73. Guickwar Maharajah.
74. Holkar Maharajah.
75. Jeypore Maharajah.
76. Jheend Rajah.
77. Jhallawur Rana.
78. Jignee Jagheerdar.
79. Joobul Chief.
80. Jhodpore Chief.
81. Jussoo Jagheerdar.
82. Jessulmere Chief.
83. Keronde Rajah.
84. Keonthul Chief.
85. Khan of Khairpore.
86. Kerowlee Chief.
87. Kishengurh Chief.
88. Khulesa Chief.
89. Kolapore Rajah.
90. Koomarsien Chief.
91. Koonhiar Chief.
92. Kota Chief.
93. Kothar Chief.
94. Kothee Jagheerdar.

95. Kunnya Dhana Jagheerdar.
96. Kuppoorthulla Rajah.
97. Kutch Chief.
98. Logassie Jagheerdar.
99. Mysore Maharajah.
100. Makrai Chief.
101. Moodhole Chief.
102. Mundec Chief.
103. Mungul Chief.
104. Myhere Chief.
105. Mylog Chief.
106. Nizam of Hyderabad.
107. Nabha Rajah.
108. Nagode Chief.
109. Nahan Chief.
110. Nalagurh Chief.
111. Nimbalkur Jagheerdar.
112. Nowanugger Chief.
113. Nyagaon Rebai Jagheerdar.
114. Godeypore Maharana.
115. Paharee Chief.
116. Poodoocottah Chief.
117. Punna Rajah.
118. Punt Prithee Nidhee Sattara Jagheerdar.
119. Punt Sucheo Sattara Jagheerdar.
120. Pertabgurh Rajah.

121.—124. Putwurdhums Southern Maharatta Jagheerdars four.
125. Palanpoor Dewan.
126. Pattiala Maharajah.
127. Rajpeepla Chief.
128. Ramdroog Chief.
129. Rewah Rajah.
130. Sawant Waree Chief.
131. Sitaman Rajah.
132. Sirohi Chief.
133. Sikkim Maharajah.
134. Shahpoora Rajah.
135. Sindia Maharajah.
136. Sohawul Chief.
137. Sooket Chief.
138. Sundoor Chief.
139. Sumpthur Rajah.
140. Sirdar Shumshere Sing Sindanwalla.
141. Sureela Chief.
142.—145. Tehre Chief and Hust Bhya Jagheerdars four.
146. Tej Sing in the Trans Sutlej States.
147. Toree Chief.
148. Travancore Maharajah.
149. Turoch Chief.
150. Ulwar Chief.

and others.

TWELVE OF THE ABOVE CHIEF STATES WITH THEIR POPULATION AND REVENUE.

£. 100,000 = Ten lacs, £. 1,000,000 = Hundred lacs or one crore of Rupees.

		Population.	Annual Revenue.
1	Hyderabad ...	10,666,080	£.1,650,000
2	Gwalior ...	2,500,000	1,110,910
3	Baroda ...	1,710,404	600,000
4	Jeypore ...	1,900,000	500,000
5	Travancore ...	1,262,647	448,063
6	Cashmere ...	700,000	400,000
7	Jodpore ...	1,783,600	350,000
8	Holkar ...	576,000	330,000
9	Pattiala ...	1,586,000	300,000
10	Odeypore ...	1,161,140	266,127
11	Bhurtpore ...	743,710	263,692
12	Bhopal ...	663,656	240,000

Revenne and Expenditure of Great Britain exclusive of the Colonies.	Rev.	£.83,055,000
	Exp.	£ 81,153,573
Do. Do. of the British Indian Empire.	Rev.	£.58,969,301
	Exp.	£.62,512,388

EUROPEAN STATES.

1. *Austria—Hungary*—inhabitants 36,600,000. Emperor Francis Joseph, born 18th August 1830. Ascended the throne 2nd December 1848. Rom-Cath. Religion.

2. *Belgium,*—inhabitants 51,000,000 King Leapold II; born 9th April 1835. Ascended the throne 10th December 1865, Roman Catholic.

3. *Denmark*—inhabitants 1,850,000 King Christian IX, born 8th April 1818; succeeded to the throne 15th November 1863, Protestant.

4. *France*—inhabitants 36,800,000 Republic, Presid. Marshal Macmahon, born 1807, President since 24th May 1873, Roman-Catholic.

5. *Germany, Empire*—inhabitants 43,000,000 Emperor William, born 22nd March 1797, Emperor since 18th January 1871. Protestant—The German Empire comprises four kingdoms Six Grand Duchies five Duchies, seven Principalities, three Free cities and the imperial country Elsass Lothringen. The four kingdoms are :—

5. *a*—Prussia, inhabitants 24,200,000, King William German Emperor, succeeded to the throne of Prussia, 2nd January 1861, Protestant.

5. *b*—Bavaria, inhabitants 4,900,000, King Louis II, born 25th August 1845, ascended the throne 10th March 1864, Roman Catholic.

5. *c*—Saxony, inhabitants 2,500,000, King Albert, born 23rd April 1828, succeeded to the throne 29th October 1873. The Royal house belongs to the Romish Church, the inhabitants are nearly all Protestants.

5. *d*—Wurtemburg, inhabitants 1,800,000, King Charles, born 6th March 1823, succeeded to the throne 25th June 1864, Protestant.

6. *Greece*—inhabitants 1,450,000, King George William, born 24th December 1845, ascended the throne 6th June 1863, The King is a Protestant, the inhabitants belong to the Greek—Catholic Church.

7. *Holland*--(properly Netherlands) inhabitants 3,700,000, King William III, born 19th February 1817, succeeded to the throne 17th March 1849, Protestant.

8. *Italy*--inhabitants 26,000,000, King Humburt I, born 14th March 1844, succeeded to the throne 9th January 1878, Roman Catholic.

9. The Pope Leo XII, born 2nd March 1810. Elected 20th February 1878.

10. *Portugal*—inhabitants 4,100,000, King Louis, born 31st October 1838. Ascended the throne 11th November 1861, Roman Catholic.

11. *Russia*—(in Europe) inhabitants 68,500,000, Emperor Alexander II, born 29th April 1818. Ascended the throne 2nd March 1855, Greek Catholic.

12. *Spain*—inhabitants 16,500,000, King Alphonso XII, born 28th November 1857, Roman Catholic.

13. *Sweeden* and *Norway*—inhabitants 6,800,000 King Oskar II, born 21st January 1829. Ascended the throne 18th August 1872, Protestant.

14. *Turkey*:—(in Europe without Romania and Servia) inhabitants 10,000,000, Sultan Abdul Hamed II, born 22nd September 1842. Ascended the throne 31st August 1876, Mahommedanism.

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Gaekwar of Baroda.

Mysore Maharajah.

Nizam of Hyderabad.

SALUTE OF 19 GUNS.

Bhopal Begum.

Cashmere and Jammu Maharajah.

Holkar Maharajah (Indore).

Kolapore Maharajah.

Khan of Khelat.

Scindia Maharajah (Gwalior).

Travancore Maharajah.

Udaipore Maharana (Meywar).

SALUTE OF 17 GUNS.

Bhawulpore Nawab.

Bhurtpore Maharajah.

Bikaneer Maharajah.

Boondi Maharajah.

Cochin Maharajah.

Jeypore Maharajah.

Jodpore Maharajah (Marwar).

Karauli Maharajah.

Kotah Maharajah.
Pattiala Maharajah.
Rewah Maharajah.
Rao of Kutch.

SALUTE OF 15 GUNS.

Alwar Maharajah.
Dewas Rajah (Senior).
Dewas Rajah (Junior).
Dhar Maharajah.
Dholepore Rana.
Dungarpore Maharawul.
Dattia Maharajah.
Edur Maharajah.
Jessulmir Maharawul.
Jhallawur Rana.
Khan of Khairpore.
Kishengurh Maharajah.
Partabgarh Rajah.
Rao of Serohi.
Sikkim Maharajah.
Urcha Maharajah (Tehri).

SALUTE OF 13 GUNS.

Benares Maharajah.
Jaura Nawab.
Kuch Behar Rajah.

Rampore Nawab.
Ratlam Rajah.
Tipperah Rajah.

SALUTE OF 11 GUNS.

Ajeygarh Maharajah.
Banswarra Maharawul.
Baoni Nawab.
Bijawar Maharajah.
Bilaspore Rajah (Kahlur).
Cambay Nawab.
Chirkari Maharajah.
Chamba Rajah.
Chatterpore Rajah.
Drangdra Rajah.
Faridkote Rajah.
Jam of Nowanugger.
Jhabu Rajah.
Jhind Rajah.
Jhunagarh Nawab.
Kappurthalla Rajah.
Mundi Rajah.
Nabha Rajah.
Narsingarh Rajah.
Palampore Dewan.
Poorbunder Rana.

Punna Maharajah.
Radhanpore Nawab.
Rajgarh Nawab.
Rajpipla Rajah.
Sitaman Rajah.
Sillana Rajah.
Sirmoor Rajah (Nahan).
Suket Rajah.
Sampthur Maharajah.
Tonk Nawab.
Thakur of Bhawnugger.

SALUTE OF 9 GUNS.

Alirajpur Rana.
Beebee of Balasinor.
Baria Rajah.
Barwani Rana.
Chota Udaipore Rajah.
Lunawarra Rana.
Maler Kotla Nawab.
Nagoda Rajah.
Sultan of Fudhli.
Sultan of Lahej.
Sri Desai of Sawant Waree.
Sonth Rajah.

LIST OF PERSONAL SALUTES.

SALUTE OF 21 GUNS.

1. Dhuleep Sing, G. C. S. I. His Highness Maharajah of Punjab, residing in England.

2. Jayaji Rao Scindia Bahadur, G. C. S. I. His Highness Maharajah of Gwalior.

3. Ranbir Sing Bahadur, G. C. S. I. His Highness Maharajah of Jammu and Cashmere.

4. Sajjan Sing. His Highness Maharana of Udaipur (Meywar.)

5. Sewae Rama Sing Bahadur, G. C. S. I. His Highness Maharajah of Jeypore.

6. Sri Rama Varma, G. L. S. I. His Highness Maharajah of Travancore.

7. Tukaji Rao Holkar Bahadur, G. C. S. I. His Highness Maharajah of Indore.

SALUTE OF 19 GUNS.

1. Jaswant Sing Bahadur, G. C. S. I. His Highness Maharajah of Jodhpore.

2. Nawab Mansur Ali Khan. His Highness Nawab Nazim of Bengal.

3. Raghuraj Sing Bahadur, G. C. S. I. Maharajah of Rewah.

4. Maharaj Prime Minister of Nepaul.

SALUTE OF 17 GUNS.

1. Alijah Amirul-Mulk. His Highness Nawab. Consort of Her Highness the Begum of Bhopal.

2. Amia-i-Kaber Shams-ul-Umra Bahadur, Nawab Co-Regent of Hyderabad.

3. Mahommed Ibrahim Khan Bahadur. His Highness Nawab of Tonk.

4. Mohindar Partab Sing Bahadur. His Highness Maharajah of Urcha (Tehri.)

5. Pirthi Sing Bahadur. His Highness Maharajah of Kishengarh.

6. Sir Salar Jang Bahadur, G. C. S. I. Nawab, Minister of Hyderabad.

SALUTE OF 15 GUNS.

1. Azim Jah Zahirud Dowlah Bahadur. His Highness Prince of Arcot, G. C. S. I.

2. Mahammud Kalbe Ali Khan Bahadur, G. C.S.I. His Highness Nawab of Rampur.

3. Mohabaat Khan, K. C. S. I. His Highness Nawab of Junagarh.

4. Man Singji Raj Sahib. HisHighness of Bhopal.

5. Qudsia Begum. Her Highness of Drangdra.

6. Shri Wibhaji. His Highness Jam of Nauangar.

7. Takht Singji. His Highness Thakur of Bhaungarh.

SALUTE OF 13 GUNS.

1. Adhiraji Mehtab Chand Bahadur. His Highness Maharajah of Burdwan.

2. Hira Sing Bahadur. His Highness Rajah of Nabha.

3. Raghbir Sing Bahadur, G. C. S. I. His Highness Rajah of Jhind.

4. Rudr Partab Sing Bahadur, K. C. S. I. His Highness Maharajah of Panna.

5. Vijayamohana Muktamba Bayi Ammani Rajah Saheba. Her Highness the Princess of Tanjore, C.C.I.

SALUTE OF 12 GUNS.

1. Awadh bin Omar Alkayati Jemadar of Shahar.
2. Omar bin Sallah bin Muhammad Nukeeb.

SALUTE OF 11 GUNS.

1. Mahammud Ibrahim Ali Khan Bahadur of Maler Kotla.
2. Partab Shah. His Highness Rajah of Tehri.
3. Waghji Thakur Sahib of Morvi.

SALUTE OF 9 GUNS.

1. Amar Sing Bahadur Rao of Kilchipore.
2. Bauoji Thakur Sahib of Rajkot.
3. Bane Singji, Rajah Sahib of Wankanir.
4. Bhagwat Singji, Thakur Sahib of Gundal.
5. Dajiraj, Thakur Sahib of Wadwan.
6. Jai Singji, Thakur Sahib of Dhrol.
7. Jaswant Singji, Thakur Sahib of Limri.
8. Ragbir Dyal, Rajah of Beronda.
9. Raghbir Sing, Rajah of Myhere.
10. Sri Narayanadeoji Ramadeoji, Maharawul of Bansda.

11. Sri Gulab Singji Amar Singji, Maharawul of Dharmpur.

12. Sidi Ibrahim Khan, Nawab of Janjira.

13. Sidi Abdul Kadir Mahammud Yakub Khan, Nawab of Suchin.

14. Sri Dig Bijai Sing of Bulrampore.

15. Sri Singji Thakur Sahib of Palitana.

16. The Sultan of Socotra.

17. Udit Pertab Deo, Rajah of Kharond.

Sakaram Row Saheb, son-in-law of His Highness the late Maharaja Sivaji of Tanjore, while on his return from Madras to Tanjore in October 1857 was honored with a salute of 9 guns at Pondicherry when he visited the Governor of the French Settlements in India.

THE ANCIENT ROYAL FAMILIES OF SOUTHERN INDIA.

ROYAL FAMILY OF HYDERABAD.

The Infant Prince was placed on the Hyderabad Masnad on the 1st March 1869, as His Highness Nawab Mir Máhbúb Ali Khan Bahadúr. And during his minority a Regency has been appointed to conduct the Office of this State.

CO-REGENTS.

1. The Nawab Sir Sálár Jung, G. C. S. I., Mukhtar ul Mulk Bahadur, Prime Minister.

2. The Nawab Shams ul Umara Amiri Kabir Bahadur.

ROYAL FAMILY OF MYSORE.

His Highness Chamrajandra Wudyer Bahadur, born 22nd February 1863, was adopted by the late Maharajah, His Highness Kristna Rajah Wudyer Bahadur, G. C. S. I., on the 18th June 1865, and was installed on the throne on the 23rd September 1868.

ROYAL FAMILY OF TRAVENCORE.

His Highness Sree Patmanabha Dausa Vunchee Baula Rama Vurmah Koolasekhara Kireetapati Munnay Sultan Maharaj Rajah Rama Rajah Bahadur Shamsheer Jung, G. C. S. I., Maharajah of Travencore, born 14th March 1832, ascended the Musnud on the 19th October 1860.

Brothers of the Maharajah—His Highness Carela Vurmah Rajah, born 30th June 1827.

His Highness Reve Vurmah, Elliah Rajah of Travencore, born 27th October 1835.

His Highness Rama Vurmah, F. M. U., First Prince of Travencore, born 19th May 1837.

ROYAL FAMILY OF COCHIN.

His Highness Rama Vurmah, K.C.S.I., Maharajah of Cochin,born 11th May 1835 ; ascended theMusnud 20th March 1864.

Brother of the Rajah—His Highness Veeracarala Vurmah, Elliah Rajah of Cochin, born 30th August 1846.

ROYAL FAMILY OF THE CARNATIC.

1. His Highness Prince Azeem Jah Oomduthool Oomrah Ameerool Oomrah Sirajool Oomrah Madarool Moolk Oomudthool Moolk Azeemood Dowlah

Assudood Dowlah "elanglez" Mohammed Ali Khan Bahadoor, Mohummud Badee Oollah Khan Bahadoor Zoolfukhar Jung, Fitruth Jung, "Sepah Salar" Prince of Arcot, G. C. S. I.

2. Intizamool Moolk Moontazimood Dowlah Ahmed Oolach Khan Bahadoor Nahee Yar Jung, son of the late Prince of Arcot.

3. Oomduttood Dowlah Mohummud Nooroollah Khan Bahadoor Juruth Jung, son of the late Prince of Arcot.

4. Mouzzuzood Dowlah Mohyeddeen Yar Khan Bahadoor Hamiyuth Jung, son of the late Prince of Arcot.

ROYAL FAMILY OF TANJORE.

Her Highness Sriman Maharāj Chatrapati Saubbagyavati Chiranjivi Vijayamohana Muktamba Bayi Ammani Raje Saheba, the only surviving daughter and heiress of His late Highness Maharajah Sivajee, born in 1846, given in marriage by the Madras Government in March 1860 to His Excellency Rajah Sakaram Row Saheb Chavan Mohitay Amir Row, Prince Consort of Tanjore.

NIECES OF HER HIGHNESS THE PRINCESS.

First Niece—Rajalatchmi Bayi Saheba.

Second do —Rajatara Bayi Saheba.

Third do —Rajasa Bayi Saheba.

Their title depends on the rank of their future Consorts.

Tutoress—Miss Wolff.

The Pedigrees of the Royal Consorts are both most ancient, they separate at long intervals, and unite by matrimonial connections between the houses of Sisode-Bhonslay and Chavan-Mohite.

The father of H. H. the Princess married 20 wives, of whom her mother H. H. Saidamba Bayi Saheba was the senior and Crown Rani, on her death, without the right to wear the Crown of State:—

1. H. H. Kamatchi Bayi Saheba became the senior Rani. died 27-1-92.

OTHER SURVIVING RANIS.

2. H. H. Saiyamba Bayi Saheba; -7-87
3. H. H. Umaiyamba Bayi Saheba; 4-6-00
4. H. H. Jayantiamba Bayi Saheba;
5. H. H. Jeejamba Bayi Saheba;
6. H. H. Dipamba Bayi Saheba; 19-9-05.
7. H. H. Ramakumaramba Bayi Saheba; 1-7-10
8. H. H. Chimmamba Bayi Saheba;
9. H. H. Aparupamba Bayi Saheba; 29-12-90
10. H. H. Gavaramba Bayi Saheba; 11-3-06.
11. H. H. Yasuvantiamba Bayi Saheba;
12. H. H. Anasamba Bayi Saheba; 30-9-95

The officials who conduct the affairs of each Rani are known among the natives as Hegib, Madyast, Karyast or Karbari; they are called Agents by the Government Agency. The names of such Agents are:—

1. Ramasawmy Kálé.
2. Bujangasawmy Pandit,

3. Sivarama Rao.
4. Rámachandra Rao.
5. Appasawmy Rao.
6. { Vazárathmáf Govinda Rao.
7. { Górpáde.
8. do. Srirám Surve.
9. do. Sámbáji Surve.
10. do. Manneba.
11. do. Ganpath Rao.
12. Chandramoli Pandit.

GOVERNMENT AGENT.

E. F. Webster, Esquire, Barrister-at-Law.

MANAGER OR SURKELE.

M. R. Ry. K. Govinda Row Avergal.

Receiver of H. H. the late Maharajah Sivajee's property.

E. F. Webster, Esquire, Barrister-at-law.

M. R. Ry. T. Gopalakrishna Pillay Avergal.

CIVIL AND MILITARY ESTABLISHMENTS MAINTAINED BY HER HIGHNESS, THE PRINCESS OF TANJORE, MEMBER OF THE IMPERIAL ORDER OF THE CROWN OF INDIA.

1. Numerical figures denote the names of Departments or Mahlomahal.

2. Alphabetical letters denote the name of the Office and separated by a dash, the name of the office holder follows.

3. Vazaratmaf or Vaz, means of the caste of Mahratta kshatriyas of Tanjore.

4. Ry, means Rajasri, a title of honor conferred by superiors.

1. Karbar Kacheri and Agents office.

a Karbar—Ry. Muddoji Govind Rao.

b Acting Do—Ry. Sankar Rao.

c Agent to Her Highness the Prince and Prince Consort of Tanjore —Ry. S. Srinivasa Iyengar.

2. Huzur Navis Mahal.

a Huzur Navis or Secretary—T. Rajah Rom Misser.

b Under Secretary—R. Viraraghava Iyengar.

3. Pothe Mahal or the Treasury—in charge of the Karbar and Agent.

4. Bunk or office of issuing royal orders.

a Bunk Nayak—Sivaram Makmale Rao.

5. Daftar or Chief Accountant's office.

a Phada Navis—Annaji Gopala Rao.

6. Jamdarkhana or Royal Wardrobe, including Alayida Mahal containing stores.

a Madhyast—Raghunath Rao Jado.

b Deputy Do—Vaz Mahipath Rao Phadtore.

7. Dastan or Jewel Office.

a Karyast—Sivaram Makhmale Rao.

b Deputy Do—Raghunath Rao Jado.

8. Dimmat otherwise called Baganihaye or Land Revenue Office.

a Dimmatdar—R. Viraraghava Iyengar, in charge also of the Istimirar Kacheri or Land Revenue Office of H. E. the Prince Consort.

b Muzumdar—Ramachander Rao.

9. Ilakha Devastanam or Temple Department in charge of H. E. the Prince Consort.

a Agent—Vaz Ry. Narrain Rao Jado.

b Joint Agent—R. Veeraraghava Iyengar.

c Superintendent—Ry. Sankar Rao.

d Deputy Do—Alagasingar Iyengar.

e Karbari—Kakaji Suyaraji.

10. Saraswati Mahal or office of religion, literature and science, including Deodhar or private family temple of H. H the Princess. This Department has charge of the *Schools established by Her Highness,

*Vide the Institutions of Tanjore.

and annually expends about 4,000 Rs. in rewards and donations for the encouragement of Sanskrit learning on the day of Skandasashti which falls on the 6th of the Waxing-moon of the month of Karthik.

a Chief Pandit and Danadikar or Almoner—Annu Sastri.

b Purohit or Conductor of Ceremonies—Markanda Bhat Goswami.

c Mathavasawmi—doing duty.

d Vencat Rao— do. do.

e Palace Poet of the Sanskrit language—Vasudava Kavi.

f Palace Poet of the Mahratta language—Chicka Charry.

g Palace Poet of the Tamil language—Maduramuthu Vatiar.

11. Kotthi or Purveyor's office including its subdivisions.

1. Puja Mahal, supplying utensils, flowers, frankincense and camphor for daily Puja or worship.

2. Madbhak or the Cuisine, supplying food.

3. Ade Mahal, supplying water, milk or sherbet.

4. Sharbat Khana, supplying betel-nut, flowers, attar, musk and other perfumes.

5. Poor House, supplying Kanji to any starving poor.

a Madhyast—Sankar Rao Lembe.

b Deputy do—Vaz Savlaram Yado.

c 1st Asst. do—Rajaram Sinde.

d 2nd Asst. do—Tiagaraja Pillai.

12. Imarathi, or Office of constructing and repairing buildings and purchasing stores except Jewels, Shawls, and Cloths, grains and culinary articles.

a Karyast Kishnaji Nembalkar.

b Asst. do—Govindasawmi Appa.

13. Mahal Paga, including

1. Hatti Mahal, containing Elephants.
2. Hoont Mahal, Camels.
3. Thabela, Horses.
4. Thatti Mahal, Cows.
5. Vaili Mahal, Bullocks, Carts, &c.
6. Shikar Mahal, Birds and Beasts for the Kitchen.
7. Sarat Mahal, English-made Carriages.

a Madhyast—Kannusawmi Pillai.

b 1st Assistant Madhyast—Vaz, Appa Saheb Mohite.

c 2nd Assistant do. —Vaz, Mahipati Rao Phadtore.

d 3rd Assistant do. —Vaz, Parasaram Jado.

MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT.

1. Khayida, consisting of Sepoys, the remnant of the old troops of H. H. the late Maharajah Sivaji.

2. Bekhayida, consisting of peons in native costume, including native music establishment of Nobat, Nagara, &c.

a Fouzdar commanding — Ry. Vencat Rao Govind Rao.

b Sirdar and Baladar—Vaz, Ry. Sirdar Bapu Saheb Ghatke Sarjerai.

c doing duty—Ry. Sub Rao Appa Jado.

d doing duty—Ry. Sivasawmi Appa Bhonsle.

e A. D. C. to H. H. the Princess and Prince Consort —Subadar Syed Ahmad Saheb pensioned from the 17th Regiment M. N. I.

3. Koth or Armoury.

f in charge of Subedar Shaik Adam Saheb.

4. English Band—

g Director Ry. Nagarajaiya.

h Band Master—Mr. Orpwood.

5. Nobat Nagara and other native music establishment—

i Sar Havildar Subbu Naik.

Government have granted the Princess 2 three pounder guns for saluting purposes. Noon-gun is daily fired at the expense of Her Highness.

6. Havala or Register and Paymaster's office.

a Register and Paymaster of all the establishments serving Her Highness and Her Consort.—Ry. Vencat Rao Govind Rao.

INSTITUTIONS IN CONNECTION WITH THE PALACE OF HER HIGHNESS THE PRINCESS OF TANJORE, C. C. I.

ANGLO-VERNACULAR CHARITY SCHOOL.

Founder and Supporter.

Sri Tanjore Sriman Maharaj Chatrapati Her Highness Soubhagyavathi Vijayamohana Muktamba Bayi Ammani Raji Saheb, Member of the Imperial Order of the Crown of India.

DIRECTOR.

His Excellency Rajah Sakaram Rao Saheb Chavan Mohite Amir Rao, Prince Consort of Tanjore.

MANAGING COMMITTEE.

1. Rev. Mr. Kay, B. A., Chairman.
2. Surgeon Major Lloyd.
3. AroonachalaIyer, Esquire,Sub-Judge of South Tanjore.
4. K. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esquire, Government Vakeel.
5. Rajesri Srirangam Srinivassa Iyengar, Agent to H. H. the Princess and Prince Consort of Tanjore.

R. Viraraghava Iyengar, Secretary.

ESTABLISHMENT.

Nilakanta Rao, Head Master, assisted by five other masters and Munshis in the Sanscrit, Tamil and Telugu departments.

Boys are admitted free of charge. The first boy receives a scholarship of Rupees 3 a month when he is promoted to the S. P. G. High School in Tanjore. There are 230 pupils on the Roll.

Girls' Charity School founded and supported by H. H. the Princess.

MISTRESS, SARAH EZETHIEL AMMAL.

There are 31 girls on the Roll who get their education in Tamil, and mid-day meal gratis.

About 50 to 90 girls educated at the S. P. G. or Lady Napier's girls' school receive a mid-day meal at the expense of Her Highness.

TANJORE ROYAL MUSIC SOCIETY.

Patron.

H. E Rajah Sakaram Rao Saheb Chavan Mohite Amir Rao, Prince Consort of Tanjore.

President.

Vaz., Ry. Krishnasawmi Saheb Jado.

Members.

Vaz., Ry. Panchusawmi Saheb Mohite.
,, ,, Kasibha Saheb Surve.
,, ,, Mathosawmi Saheb Mohite.
,, ,, Naraina Rao Saheb Jado.
,, ,, Ram Saheb Ghatke Sarjerai.

Vaz. Ry. Bapu Saheb Mohite.
Sivaram Sinde—
Ry. Nagrajiah.
Ry. Sivasawmi Appa Bhonsle.
Ry. Jivanna.
Ry. Sanker Row—Secretary.
Mathuremuthu Vathiyar, Joint Secretary.
Vaz. Ry. Panchusawmi Saheb Mohite, Manager and Treasurer.

TANJORE ROYAL OPERA SOCIETY.

Patron.

H. E. Rajah Sakaram Rao Saheb Chavan Mohite Amir Rao, Prince Consort of Tanjore.

President.

Vaz. Ry. Kishnasawmi Saheb Jado.

Members.

Vaz. Ry. Naraina Rao Saheb Jado.
" " Kasibha Saheb Surve.
" " Sirdar Bapu Saheb Ghatke Sarjerai.
Ry. Vijaya Bhagyamandaji Saheb.
Ry. Vencat Rao Govind Rao.
Ry. Sivasawmi Appa Bhonsle.
Sivaram Sinde, Secretary.
Mathuremuthu Vathiyar, Joint Secretary.
Vaz. Ry. Punchusawmi Sahib Mohite, Manager and Treasurer.

AMATEUR ARTIST'S ASSOCIATION.

President.

Vaz. Ry. Narain Rao Saheb Jado.

Members.

Vaz. Ry. Madhusawmi Saheb Mohite.
,, ,, Krishnasawmi Saheb Jado.
Sivaram Sinde.
Ahmad Hussain Saheb.
Sivaram Chavan, Secretary.

TANJORE CHESS CLUB.

President.

Vaz. Ry. Kasiba Saheb Surve.

Members.

Vaz. Ry. Krishnasawmi Saheb Jado.
,, ,, Naraina Rao Saheb Jado.
,, ,, Krishnaji Sahib Nimbalkar.
,, ,, Madhusawmi Saheb Mohite.
,, ,, Panchusawmi Saheb Mohite.
Ry. Vijaya Bhagyanamdagi Saheb.
,, Sivasawmi Appa Bhonsle.
,, Sub Rao Appa Jado.
,, Jevanna.
Mathuremuthu Vathiyar.
Ry. Sankara Rao, Secretary.
Ry. T. Rajah Rom Misser, Joint Secretary.

TANJORE GYMNASIUM.

President.

Vaz. Ry. Sirdar Bapu Saheb Ghatke Sarjerai.

Members.

Vaz. Ry. Kasiba Saheb Surve.
Ry. Vijaya Bhagyanamdaji Saheb.
" " Panchusawmi Saheb Mohite.
" " Bava Saheb Gujar.
" " Ram Saheb Ghatke Sarjerai.
Subedar—Syed Ahmad Saheb, pensioner of the 17th Regiment. M. N. I.
Subedar—Shaik Adam Saheb.
Subbaya Vastad*
Buta Vastad*
Vaz. Ry. Appa Saheb Ghatke Sarjerai, Secretary.

TANJORE PALACE BADMINTON CLUB.

Visitor and Umpire.

H. E. Rajah Sakaram Rao Saheb.

President.

Vaz. Ry. Krishnasawmi Saheb Jado.

Members.

" " Sirdar Kasiba Saheb Surve.
" " Sirdar Babu Saheb Ghatke Sarjerai.

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* Champion wrestlers at the Court of His Highness the Maharaja of Nepaul during the Prime Ministry of the late Sir Jung Bahadur, G. C. B. and G. C. S. I.

Vaz. Ry. Tukaram Rao Saheb Sinde.
„ „ Panchusami Saheb Mohite.
„ „ Peddarsami Mahdik Rao Saheb.
Ry. Vijaya Bhagyanamdaji Saheb.
Vaz. Ry. Naraina Rao Gujer Rao Saheb.
Vaz. Ry. Appa Saheb Ghatke Sarjerai.
„ Ram Rao Saheb Ghatke Sarjerai.
Saheb Rao Jado.
Rajaba Saheb Sirke.

THE TANJORE PALACE MAHRATTA CALENDAR ASSOCIATION.

Patrons.

H. H. the Princess of Tanjore, C. C. I.
and
H. E. the Rajah Saheb, her Consort.

President.

Annu Sastri.

Members.

Krishna Josi.
Venkatarama Josi.
Chandrasakhara Josi.
Ramachandra Josi.
Krishna Josi, Secretary.

THE TIRUVAIAR TAMIL CALENDAR ASSOCIATION.

Patrons.

H. H. the Princess of Tanjore, C. C. I.

and

H. E. the Rajah Saheb, her Consort.

President.

Sami Josiar.

Members.

Annu Sastri.
Madava Charriar.
Balakrishna Sastri.
Raghu Bhattar.
Srinivassa Charry, Secretary.

TANJORE PALACE PURANIC ASSOCIATION.

Patrons.

H H the Princess of Tanjore, C. C. I.

and

H. E. the Rajah Saheb, her Consort.

President.

Ry. Moothuju Govind Rao.

Members.

Annu Sastri.
Srinivassa Charriar.
Subbraya Charriar.
Balakrishna Sastri,

Sambamurthi Sastri.
Kusuma Charry.
Ramabhadra Charry.
Ananta Ditchathar.
Soondara Sastri.
Anna Sundara Sastri.
Injekolle Sami Sastri.
Subramaniya Sastri.
Ry. Sankara Rao.
Ry. Srirangam Srinivassa Iyengar.
Veeraraghava Iyengar.
Annu Sastri, Secretary.
Annaji Gopal Rao—First Assistant Secretary.
Mathuremuthu Vathiyar—Second Assistant Secretary.

Proceedings published in the Madras Newspapers of the Durbar held at Tanjore in honor of the Birth-day of Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen-Empress held at the Palace of Sangit Mahal by Her Highness the Princess of Tanjore, Member of the Imperial Order of the Crown of India.

Extract from the Athæneum and Daily News of Thursday, the 29th May, 1879.

TANJORE.

[From a Native Correspondent.]

27th May.

A grand durbar was held in the hall of Sangit-Mahal of Her Highness the Princess at 4 P. M. on Saturday the 24th May 1879, being the Birth-day of

Her Majesty the Queen-Empress of India. Guns were fired at 1 P. M. and then a general salute by sepoys and officers on the eastern rampart called "Tasmodu," the band playing the national anthem. At the palace gates, garlands were hung and the Hazaram or state-yard close to the Durbar hall and the path leading thereto, were nicely decorated.

Her Highness the Princess attended and sat in the Durbar-hall behind a curtain, in front of which was placed immediately over the principal seat of the Durbar, the portrait of Her Majesty the Queen-Empress, and a little below, that of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales. On the right side were hung the portraits of the Viceroy and Governor General of India, and His Grace the Duke of Buckingham, the Governor of Fort Saint George, and on the left, the picture of Lord Hobart, and the portraits of Lady Hobart and several other ladies, on either side of which stood the servants bearing gold and silver sticks, chamarams, morchals and other royal insignia.

On the left side close to the said curtain sat the Prince Consort, being the President, and near him the Agent, the Secretary, the Devastanam Superintendent, and two Sirdars of Her Highness the Princess, and on the other side sat the relations and Sirdars to the number of 36 in all : several Palace functionaries and gentlemen were seated in full dress, and the Spectators, about 200 in number, stood on either side of the Hall, at the gate of which a guard consisting of twelve troopers were placed in regular rows, and the Bandsmen stood in front. Soon after the commencement of the Durbar, the Agent rose from his seat and saying that the Dur-

bar was held by order of Her Highness the Princess to manifest publicly the highest joy generally felt on the happy occasion of H. M. the Queen-Empress' birth-day, he resumed his seat. After a while he again rose and delivered in plain words a short speech of which a translation is annexed below. While speaking, he allowed the Secretary time to read a list in English of the names of several countries in India under the British rule and the Rajahs and Chiefs thereof. As soon as this was done the Agent continued for some time and finished his speech. Afterwards the Devastanam Superintendent and Vaz. Ry. Kristnaswamy Jado read in English and Mahratta a short lecture in connection with what the Agent had spoken. At last the Prince Consort, being the President, rose from his chair and said that he fully approved of what the Agent and two others had spoken and that H. H. the Princess offered with feelings of loyalty her sincere prayers for H. M. the Queen-Empress' long life and prosperity. The band next played some lively tunes and attur and pan was given to all who attended the Durbar. The clock struck six, when the whole assembly rose, and paid their due respect to Her Highness the Princess, who in return, offered them thanks, observing at the same time that she was much pleased, and felt very grateful for their having attended the Durbar as she wished to commemorate the unrivalled dignity and goodness of H. M. the Queen-Empress. H. H. the Princess then went inside the palace, and the assembly immediately dispersed.

It is to be highly admired that a Princess drawing a small stipend in this Presidency has so manifested her unaffected loyalty, and acted so nobly on this

occasion. It was never anticipated that the Durbar would be so grand and splendid.

TRANSLATION.

AGENT'S SPEECH.

1. This Saturday the 24th May 1879 is the most happy one, being the Birth-day of Her Majesty the Queen-Empress of India. From this date commences the 60th year of Her Majesty. She has got 4 sons and 5 daughters, namely :—1st. The eldest son, His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales married the Princess Alexandria of Denmark and has issue.

2nd. H. R. H. Alfred Ernest Albert, Duke of Edinburgh, married the daughter of the Emperor of Russia and has issue.

3rd. H R. H. A. W. Albert, Duke of Connought, married Princess Louise of Prussia.

4th. H. R. H. Prince Leopold George Duncan Albert not married.

1st. The eldest daughter Her Royal Highness V.A. M. Louisa, married H. R H. Frederick William, Crown Prince of Prussia, and has issue.

2nd. H. R. H. A. M. Mary, married Prince Louis of Hesse. This Princess is dead, and has left issue.

3rd. H. R. H. Helena Augusta, married the Prince Christian of Augustenburg, and has issue.

4th. H. R. H. Louise Carolina Alberta, married Marquis of Lorne.

5th. H. R. H. Beatrice Mary Victoria Feodora, not married.

2. The sovereign power of our Queen-Empress blessed with such a large family, and noble alliance

extends over India from Himalayas in the North as far as Cape Comorin in the South, and from the river Scinde and Peishwar in the west as far as river Iravaty in the east. Besides this vast extent of dominion there are several extensive countries, subject to the British authority, viz., Rangoon in Burmah, Penang, Singapore and the Island of Ceylon. Some territories in Cabul, are being gradually annexed to the well disciplined British rule, which has also extended to several parts in Europe, and to some others on the continents of Asia, Africa, America, and Australia comprising in all more than 40 States. We should not think that of all the dominions now under the British control, India is the largest; those abovementioned being far more extensive. It is to be attributed chiefly to the natural good intentions, and benign disposition of our Queen-Empress and to the just and politic counsel of the ministers, that her sovereignty has thrived more and more.

The names of the states, rajahs, and chiefs subject to the British rule in India have been read. There are also several other chiefs, talukdars, jaghirdars zemindars, and poligars that were not noticed here.

It is incumbent on all rajahs, their descendants and the people of all classes subject to the British authority to celebrate the Birth-day of Her Majesty the Queen-Empress as a day of great festivity, and rejoicing (cheers).

This Durbar being, therefore, held by order of H. Highness the Princess to celebrate accordingly this happy day, we all heartily pray the Almighty for Her Majesty the Queen-Empress' long life and continued prosperity.

Extract from the Standard of Friday, the 30th May, 1879.

A DURBAR AT TANJORE.

TANJORE,—26th MAY.

A grand durbar was held at Tanjore by Her Highness the Princess in the Hall of the Sangit Mahal on the evening of Saturday the 24th instant in honor of Her Majesty's birth-day. At noon on that day a royal salute was fired by the Princess' troops, the palace gates and the state yard near the Durbar Hall were decorated, and at 4 o'clock all the palace servants and Princess' Agent, Secretary and some of the Hindu inhabitants of the fort assembled at the Durbar Hall. H. H. the Princess took her seat behind a curtain in front of which were placed the portrait of H. M. the Queen, which was sent to Her Highness by Her Majesty, the portrait of the Prince of Wales presented to the Princess during H. R. H's visit to Madras in 1875, and the portraits of Lord Lytton and the Duke of Buckingham ; also those of Lord and Lady Hobart. The palace servants with silver sticks and morchals stood near the place where the portraits were put up, and close to the curtain where the Princess sat, were H E. Rajah Succaram Saheb, the Palace Agent, the Davastanam Superintendent and two Sirdars. The band of Her Highness was in attendance. All the preliminaries arranged, the Agent announced the purpose for which the durbar was held. He said that by order of the Princess, who had the deepest regard and attachment for Her Majesty the Queen-Empress, this durbar was called. It was the 60th anniversary of the Queen's birth-day and the Princess wished to mark the event by calling together the

people and telling them that Her Majesty held dominion in India from the Himalayas to Comorin, from Scinde to the Irrawady. Besides being Empress of India, Her Majesty's rule extended to Burmah, Penang, Singapore, Ceylon, in many parts of Europe, Asia, Africa, America and the whole Australian Colonies. India was the largest dependency of the British Empire, and the security, liberty and protection which the people enjoyed were owing to the benign reign of the Queen. Her Highness had directed her Agent to say that it was incumbent on the Maharajahs, Rajahs and Chiefs of India to mark this day by holding a durbar and have rejoicings in honor of the Sovereign of India. Her Highness prayed that Her Majesty would long live and continue to enjoy the loyalty and attachment of her numberless subjects. The Agent then read out a list giving particulars of the Queen's sons and daughters, the Princess and Princesses and their families. The speech having been delivered both in Tamil and English, utter and pan were distributed and the assembly dispersed after paying their respects to H. E. Rajah Succaram Saib. Her Highness the Princess was the last to leave the durbar hall.

The ceremony created a little commotion in the palace and the neighborhood. It is highly gratifying to find a Princess whose father held sway over one of the finest districts in the presidency, deprived of her father's property and obliged to support herself with some pomp on a paltry allowance of Rs. 3,000 a month celebrating with some sort of show the Queen's birth-day, a circumstance which is overlooked by many wealthier princes in India.

Extract from the Indian Mirror Newspaper quoted in the Standard of Wednesday, the 11*th June* 1879.

H. H. The Princess of Tanjore, C.C.I. :—The Princess of Tanjore, C.C.I., is remarkable for her loyalty. Her father held sway over one of the finest districts in Madras. She is now deprived of her father's property, and obliged to support herself with some dignity on a paltry sum of Rs. 3,000 a month. At the Durbar held by her in honour of the anniversary of Her Majesty's birth-day, she had directed her Agent to say that it was incumbent on the Maharajahs, Rajahs, and Chiefs of India to mark that day by holding a like Durbar, and have rejoicings in honour of the Sovereign of India. We perfectly agree with the enlightened Princess. She is receiving a good English education at the hands of Mrs. Wolff.

NAME OF THE ASSOCIATION.

GOD BLESS THE QUEEN-EMPRESS' ASSOCIATION.

Founder.

H. H. the Princess of Tanjore, Member of the Imperial Order of the Crown of India.

President.

2. H. E. Rajah Sakaram Rao Saheb Chavan Mohite Amir Rao.

Lady Members.

3. Rajahlatchmi Bayi Saheba.
4. Rajahtara Bayi Saheba.
5, Rajahsa Bayi Saheba.

Native Gentlemen Members.

Names Alphabetically arranged.

5. Annu Sastri, Chief Pandit and Danadikar or Almoner to H. H. the Princess, President to the Tanjore Palace Mahratta Calendar Association, and Secretary to the Puranic Association.

6. Vaz, Ry. Bapu Saheb Ghatke Sarjerai, Sirdar and Baladar at the Palace of H. H. the Princess.

7. Vaz, Ry. Kasiba Saheb Surve, Sirdar at do.

8. Vaz, Ry. Krishnasawmi Saheb Jado, Member of Local Fund Board, Municipal Commissioner for

the town of Tanjore, Member of the Davastanam Committee and President of the Tanjore Royal Music and Opera Societies.

10. Madura Muthu Vatyar, Tamil Poet Laureate at the Palace of H. H., late Munshi to Dr. Pope and now Munshi to Dr. A. C. Burnell, Ph. D.

11. Muddaji Govind Rao, Karbar of H. H. and late one of the Ashta-Pradans or eight Under-Ministers to H. H. the Mahrajah Sivaji.

12. Ry. Nagrajah Diktchit, Director of the Palace Band.

13. Vaz, Ry. Narrain Rao Jado, Agent of the Ilaka Devastanam or Temple Establishment, and a Bench Magistrate for the town of Tanjore.

14. Vaz, Ry. Panchusami Saheb Mohite, Manager and Treasurer of the Tanjore Royal Opera Society.

15. Vaz, Ry. Peddarsami Madik Rao Saheb, Landed Proprietor.

16. Ry. T. Rajah Rom Misser, Huzur Navis or Secretary to H. H. the Princess and Prince Consort of Tanjore, and pensioned 2nd Clerk of the office of the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor of Madras.

17. Saiyad Ahmad Sahib, Pensioned Subedar of the 17th Regiment M. N. I. Medal for Central India, and Aide-de-camp to H. H. the Princess and Prince Consort of Tanjore.

18. Sami Josyar, President of the Tiruvaiyar Tamil Calendar Association.

19. Ry. Sankar Rao, Acting Karbar at the Palace of Her Highness and Superintendent of the Temple Establishment.

20. Ry. Sivasami Appa Bhonsle, grandson of Dattaji Appa Bhonsle, Surkele or Prime Minister to H. H. the Maharajah Sorfoji, now doing duty at the Palace Military Establishment.

21. Ry. S. Strinivasa Iyengar, Agent to H. H. the Princess and Prince Consort of Tanjore, Member of the Tanjore Puranic Association.

22. Ry. Sub Rao Appa Jado, late acting Surkele and now doing duty at the Palace Military Establishment.

23. Ry. Vencat Rao Govind Rao, Foujdar and Paymaster to H. H. establishment and late a Madhyast of several departments during her father's life time.

24. Viraraghava Iyengar, Under Secretary to H. H. the Princess and Prince Consort of Tanjore, Secretary to H. H. Schools, Joint Agent of Ilakha Devastanam or Temple Establishment, and Dimmatdar managing the Revenue Offices of the Royal Consort

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1. Annu Sastri.

Tamil Department.

2. Madura Muthu Vatyar.
3. Ry. Srirangam Srinivasa Iyengar.

Mahratta Department.

4. Ry. Sankar Rao.

English Department.

5. T. Rajah Rom Misser.